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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Nobuhito FUKUI et al.

Application No.: 09/435,642

Group Art Unit: 2174

Filed: November 9, 1999

Examiner: Thomas J. Joseph

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS, DISPLAY CONTROL METHOD AND
STORAGE MEDIUM

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a)

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the enclosed Request for Correcting Inventorship Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.48 (a) and the enclosed Consent of Assignee under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b), the second named inventor Yoshihiro Matsubara is to be deleted from the subject application because he has been determined not to be an inventor of the subject application.

This petition is accompanied by the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i). If any further fees are necessary in the filing of this Petition, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

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April 27, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CORRECTING INVENTORSHIP: AND
STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §3.73(b)

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

Petitioner, Mr. Hideo Ozawa, represents that I am the General Manager, Patent Division, of the Assignee identified below owning the entire interest in the above-identified application and am authorized by the Assignee to assent to the correction of inventorship of the subject application and to sign on behalf of the Assignee.

CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE AND STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §3.73(b)

Fujitsu Limited, presently the assignee of the entire interest including all rights in the above-identified application, having its principal place of business at 1-1, Kamikodanaka 4-chome, Nakahara-ku, Kawasaki-shi, Kanagawa 211-8588, Japan, hereby consents to correction of the inventorship of the subject application including any patent to issue therefrom. The Assignment to Fujitsu Limited was recorded at Reel 010387, Frame 0125, on November 9, 1999. The evidentiary documents have been reviewed and it is certified that, to the best of the assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee and the undersigned has the authority to act on the behalf of the assignee, Fujitsu Limited.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these

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Date: April 22, 2005

H. Ozawa
Mr. Hideo Ozawa
General Manager
Fujitsu Limited, Patent Division

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STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The undersigned, Yoshihiro Matsubara, hereby declares that:

- 1) I am the same Yoshihiro Matsubara whose name appears as the second named co-inventor in the Declaration executed by me in support of the subject application (Exhibit A hereto) and in the Assignment executed on or about October 27, 1999 (Exhibit B hereto), and which was recorded herein at Reel/Frame 010387/0125 in accordance with the Notice of Recordation (Exhibit C hereto).
- 2) I declare that I understood that I was properly included as an inventor of the subject application and was so named in the aforesaid Declaration of Exhibit A but that this was through error without any deceptive intention on my part, and I now understand that I am not such an inventor.
- 3) Accordingly, it is my desire that the inventorship of the subject non-provisional application be corrected to include only the first named inventor therein, namely,

Nobuhito Fukui, as the sole inventor in the Declaration of Exhibit A hereto and the sole assignor in the Assignment of Exhibit B hereto.

- 4) My address set forth in the following beneath my signature represents my current address which differs from my address as set forth in the Declaration and Assignment of Exhibits A and B.

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Date:

4/14/2005

Yoshihiro Matsubara

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Address: c/o PFU Limited, 98-2, Nu, Aza Unoke,
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Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

特許出願宣言書及び委任状 Japanese Language Declaration 日本語宣言書

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下記の名称の発明に関して請求範囲に記載され、特許州回している発明内容について、私が最初かつ唯一の発明者（下記の氏名が一つの場合）もしくは最初かつ共同発明者であると（下記の名称が複数の場合）仰じています。

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought in the invention entitled

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Priority Not Claimed

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(出願年月日)

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(Application No.)
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States application(s), or 306(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 35, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.53 which becomes available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application.

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発明者の署名	Inventor's signature	<i>Nobuhito Fukui</i>
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第二共同発明者	Second inventor's signature	<i>Yoshihiro Matsubara</i>
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ること)

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EXHIBIT B

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IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and of other good and valuable consideration paid to the undersigned inventor(s) (hereinafter, "ASSIGNOR") by

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FUJITSU LIMITED

1-1, Kamikodanaka 4-chome, Nakahara-ku, Kawasaki-shi, Kanagawa, 211-8588
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned inventor(s) has (have) affixed his/her/their signature(s).

(Typed Name & Signature of Inventor(s))

(Date)

(Typed Name & Signature of Witness(es))

1) Nobuhito Fukui October 27, 1999
Nobuhito Fukui

Chiaki Usui
Chiaki Usui

2) Yoshihiro Matsubara October 27, 1999
Yoshihiro Matsubara

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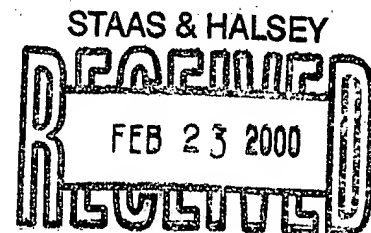
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